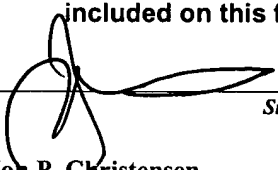
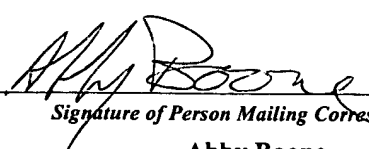


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In response to the Office Action of February 24, 2005,
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